(ख) निम्नलिखित परीक्षाओं के लिए अंग्रेजी एक अनिवार्य विषय नहीं है :—

1. सिविल सेवा (प्रारंभिक परीक्षा)
2. संयुक्त चिकित्सा सेवा परीक्षा
3. अनुभाग अधिकारी/आशुलिपिक (ग्रेड "ख" ग्रेड 1) सीमित विभागीय/प्रतियोगी परीक्षा
4. अनुसूचित जाति/अनुसूचित जन-जाति के उम्मीदवारों के लिए ग्रेड I (अवर सचिव) (यू० एस०) सीमित विभागीय प्रतियोगी परीक्षा
5. हिन्दी प्राध्यापक परीक्षा
6. हिन्दी अनुवादक परीक्षा
7. कनिष्ठ पुस्तकाध्यक्ष परीक्षा
8. दिल्ली पुलिस के उप निरीक्षकों के लिए परीक्षा

Purchase of nuclear reactor from USSR

3093. SHRI MUKHTIAR SINGH MALIK:

SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY;

W: U the PRIME MINISTER np pleased fo state:

(a) whether any agreement has been signed between Government of India anl the U. S. S. R, on the purchase of Nuclear Reactors;

(b) if so, what are the terms of this agreement; and

(c) the financial implication in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) and (b) Discussions are continuing on technical, economic, and other aspects of

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the Soviet offer to assist in the setting up of pressurised light water reactors. Government have taken no decision in the matter, (c) Does not arise.

Resignation by the Chief Justice of a High Court

3094. SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY:

Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Chief Justice of a High Court had resigned on being transferred from one State to another without his consent; and

(b) if so, the reaction of the Government of India in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI HANS RAJ BHARDWAJ): (a) and (b) The Chief Justice of the Calcutta High Court, in his letter dated 12th February, 1988 addressed to the President of India, has sought premature voluntary retirement with effect from 2nd May, 1988 on account of the illness of his wife.

सरकारी कार्य में हिन्दी का प्रयोग

3095. डा० रत्नाकर पांडेय : क्या विधि और न्याय मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या विधि और न्याय मंत्रालय के अधीनस्थ कार्यालयों में हिन्दी भाषी राज्यों के सभी कर्मचारी अनिवार्यतः हिन्दी में कार्य करते हैं ; और

(ख) यदि नहीं, तो क्या उन्हें अनिवार्य रूप से हिन्दी में कार्य करने के लिए कहा जाएगा ?

विधि और न्याय मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री हंसराज भारद्वाज) : (क) और (ख) विधायी विभाग प्रशासनिक नियंत्रण के अधीन कोई अधीनस्थ कार्यालय नहीं है । केवल आयकर अपील अधिकरण ही विधि कार्य विभाग का एक अधीनस्थ कार्यालय है । देश में 19

विभिन्न स्थानों पर इस अधिकरण की न्यायापीठें हैं । जिनमें से हिन्दी भाषी क्षेत्रों/राज्यों के निम्नलिखित स्थानों पर इसकी न्यायपीठें हैं :—

(1) दिल्ली (2) इलाहाबाद
(3) पटना (4) नागपुर
(5) जयपुर (6) जबलपुर
(7) इन्दौर

आयकर अपील अधिकरण की इन न्यायपीठों में जिन कर्मचारियों के पास हिन्दी का कार्यसाधक ज्ञान है, वे साधारणत: हिन्दी में ही काय कर रहे है ।

3096. *[Transferred* t_0 *the 28th March,* 1988.]

Soviet nuclear Sub-Marine for India

3097. SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY: SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA:
SHRI MUKHTIAR SINGH MALIK:
SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a Soviet nuclear powered sub-marine acquired by Government recently ig obsolete and an antique in terms of nuclear technology ' besides having nuclear related design flaws; and

(b) if so, what are the considerations which weighed with Government to acquire an obsolete nuclear submarine from USSR and how in Government's view it will strengthen the Indian Naval power?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Use of sub-standard Material in the construction of N. A. P.

3098. SHRl VIRENDRA VERMA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

i; i) whether it is a fact that use of sub-standard material in the construction of Narora Atomic Power Project has been detected and that air leaks 'in the containment dome of the reactors were found by the Experts;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what steps are being taken for the safety of the plant against the consequences of any mishap?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINijS-TER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOP. MENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) to (c) No substandard material has been used in the construction of Narora Atomic Power Project. There is a normal permissible limit for escape of air from the Containment Building of PHWR Reactors. As per the standard practice preliminary tests of Containment Building at Narora Atomic Power Project were carried out to ensure that the leaks are kept within the permissible limits during the operation of the plant. There is no scope of a mishap since air leaks are kept within the permissible limit.

Charter of Demands of the Society of Young Scientists

3099. SHRI GURUDAS DASGUPTA:
SHRI SURAJ PRASAD:
SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Society of Young Scientists went on a one-day strike on February 16, 1988